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Subject: DOE Case No. S-85,915 (RL-13,534)  
LLNL Docket No. IL-9928  
Invention Title: Integrated Optical Capillary Electrophoresis  
Chemical Microsensor  
Inventor Name(s): Anthony J. Ruggiero

Dear Hank:

This letter is to request that you prepare and file a U.S. patent application for the above-referenced matter on behalf of The Regents of the University of California. A waiver concerning the subject invention has been prepared and is being submitted to DOE OAK. A copy is enclosed for your file. Foreign filing is not requested at this time but will be revisited at a future date. We ask that your office track the foreign file date(s) and keep us accordingly advised.

**No immediate bar dates are pending.** Please proceed with this application for filing with the U.S. Patent Office in a timely manner.

Please send a copy of the patent application as filed, serial number, and filing data as they become available to Janice Wallace and keep her advised regarding the progress of the filing.

At this time I ask that your office track the patent filing fees and prosecution costs for the subject application and keep our office informed of the expenditures required.

Sincerely,

Alan J. Bennett  
Director, Industrial Partnerships &  
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Attachment

cc:

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